THE OWOSSO TIMES

OWOSSO, MICH., SEPT. 17, 1915.

ABSENT VOTERS.

New Law Makes Lot of Work and Will Amount to Nothing.

The law passed by the last legislature making it possible for voters absent from home to cast their ballots is in effect and it appears to most people that it will be a cumbersome and expensive addition to the election law with few taking advantage of its provisions. It means a lot of work for township, city and county clerks in addition to the

A voter may make application with an affidavit any time within 80 days of an election. The clerk must mail him a ballot and he can mark it and make another affidavit and return it. An extra package of every kind of ballot with 25 per cent of the total for absent voters must be provided now at each

West Michigan Fair Features, Sept. 20 to 24

Big \$10,000 Aviation Meet All Michigan Horse Races. Fish Exhibit by State of Michigan. School Exhibits from 40 counties. Baby Show and Child Hygiene. Automobile Show-1916 cars. Good Roads Display. Michigan State's Prison Display. U. S. Government Parcels Post Dis

Giant Tango Swing-A real thriller. \$10,000 Gaivioli Electric Callope. Aeroplane and Monoplane Races. Rutherford's Greater Shows. Bird Exhibit by Audubon Society. Dairy Show and Contests. Boys' and Girls' Clubs,

Manufacturers Exhibits. Dog Show Agriculture and Live Stock. Julia Allen's Wild West Show. Royal Italian Concert Band-30 men Paulson's Wonder City. Automobile and Motorcycle Races.

Electric Fish Pond. "Made in America" Daylight Fire works. American Day, Sept. 22. The "Joy Zone" with 100 thrilling

'Queen Zalla" spectacular Egyptian

Pageant. Submarine 4 U and under sea specta

LaRose Electric Fountain-a glimpse of Panama-Pacific exposition.

Battles in the Air" by American, German, French and Italian Air Scouts direct from the European war zone. Grand Cavalcade of prize winning

live stock. Farm Machinery Exhibit-30 acres

Day and night auto races-Friday and Saturday!

Farmer Club, Grange and Gleaner

Michigan Agricultural College exhibits and lectures.

Over \$20,000 in cash prizes and special premiums for horticulture.

Features for women-knitted and fancy work, hand sewing, embroideries arts and crafts, home-made breads, cakes, pastry, canned fruits, etc.

Metz's Circus Sideshow, a congress of 20th century wonders.

T. Tester to N. M. Carmody and wife,

Real Estate Transfers

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lots 8, 9, 10, blk 3, Woodlawn park addition, Owosso, \$500. S. J. Packingham to W. B. Simmons

and wife, part lot 10, M. L. Stewart & Co's add., Owosso, \$800. G. L. McDonald to H. Dudleck and

wife, lot 3, blk 17, A. L. & B. O. Williams' add., Owoseo, \$1,450. E. F. Cooper to J. M. Frantz and

wife, lot 17, blk B, C. L. Goodhue's sub. out lot 2, Owosso, \$1,460. I. E. Krause et al to L. Woodard, lot

14, blk 4, A. L. Woodard's add., Owos-

M. Brand to H. Waugh, et al., lot 10, blk 3, J, C Brand's add., Durand. \$350. A. E. Wooley to L. L. Woodard and wife, w + lot 7, blk 4, A. L & B. O. Williams' add., Owosso, \$1,550.

M. J. Robinson to M. Cunningham, lot 19, part east side lot 18, blk 1, Wells' add., Morrice, \$1,100.

C. H. Calkins to A. N. Macqueen and wife, lot 10, blk 6, and w one-third of s 1 lot 9, blk 6, Perry, \$1 and other. M. M. Fletcher et al, to W. H. Mill

hisler, sw t of sw t and nw t of sw t Perry, \$1 and other.

W. E. Jacobs to N. P. Jones, n 394 ft lot 5, blk 24. Corunna, \$700. S. M. Martin to Townshap of Venice,

land on sec. 19, Venice, \$125. E. Delaney and wife to M. E. Andrews, part sw t of sw t sec 16, Mid-

dlebury, \$150. C. Holden to K. Thompson, land or ne frl 2 sec. 4, Fairfield, \$250.

J. Tobey to J. Hubbard, lot A, blk 4 Wulff's add., Vernon, \$150 and other.

Advertised letters at the Owosso pos office for the week ending Sept 11, 1915 Meri Brgles, Elmar J. Chanel, George Hamm, Tom Hara, Mrs F. A. Maltby, Mrs. Cora Ostrander. Erral Williams, Giov anni Michell, foreign.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Green of Linien spent the latter part of the week visiting former parishioners here. Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bennett are visiting at the home of the former's brother, C. K. While there they will also visit his sister, Mrs. R. Lillie of Hammond, La., who is visiting at

James Summers has moved to Durand where he and his wife will keep boarding house.

Miss Grace Ferry left Monday for Ypsilanti, where she will attend the

Norman Simpson is clerking in Conners' clothing store in Lansing. Bert Kenyon's four-year-old son ran a nail in his foot, causing a serious injury.

The high school athletic associa tion elected officers as follows: president, Harry Kenney; sec'y, Gladys Watkins; treas., Harold Flint.

H. P. Hardy, who is employed at the Singer Sewing Machine company's office in Flint, is here acting as night watch in the Perry Glove and Mitten plant, during the absence of Mr. Kanouse, who accompanied by his wife, is visiting their daughter, Bessie in Detroit.

Floyd Halleck and family of Jack son are here visiting the former's

GOOL PLACES TO STORE SEED.

1. Dry, well-ventilated cellar. 2. Dry attic or storeroom. 3. Dry, ventilated shed. 4. Any dry, ventilated build-

. I. H. C. LECTURE CHARTS.

Your Chamber of Commerce Should Put on a Series of Lectures With I. H. C. Charts and Slides-Get Your Farm Demonstrator or Superintendent of Schools to Give You a Practical Talk on Agriculture.

You will be surprised to see how intensely interested your bankers and merchants will be. If you want to put your organization on the map, plan an agricultural campaign of education. Arrange a program. Give one lecture a week on any of these subjects: Soils. Corn, Alfalfa, Poultry, Weeds, Live Stock, Flies, etc. Follow each lecture with a discussion of the subject. Make your chamber of commerce an educational center, not just a "club." Your town is built on the surplus earnings of the farm. Business men in town should take a keen interest in the industrial welfare of the town's "trade territory."

There is nothing constructive in grabbing business from other communities-create new business in your own community. Have a chamber of agriculture and commerce.

If you want to make your organization a place of interest, plan a three months' lecture course. Use I. H. C. lecture charts and slides. You can, no doubt, find among the members of your chamber of commerce men who talks on any of the subjects treated in these charts.

WHY CROPS RUN OUT.

The question is often raised as to whether crops "run out" or not. To say that crops do not "run out" would be to deny that any variations are produced by changed conditions or environment. When plants are brought into new conditions of soil, climate, or methods of farming less favorable, they will tend to deteriorate or "run

out. Desirable Qualities Suffer First Under Unfavorable Conditions. If corn is planted too thick (seven or eight stalks per hill) a large yield of foliage will be obtained, but the yield of grain will be small. Under unfavorable conditions the plant tends to revert to its original condition, and the particular thing for which the plant is grown and which gives it value suf-fers first and most.

Best Methods Necessary. It is only by the best methods of seed selection and of cultivation that the farmer can hope to maintain the valuable qualities of his crops, otherwise they will deteriorate or "run out" and it will be necessary for him to secure seed from someone who has paid more attention to the improvement of his crops.

"SEED CORN WEEK."

The Last Week in September or the First Week in October Should Be Set Aside as Seed Corn Week in the Corn Belt.

We have "Arbor Day." Would it not also be well to have a "Seed Corn Day?" A day when everyone should begin the hawesting and storing of his seed for the following spring. We laugh at our grandfathers for planting their potatoes and sowing their grain "in the moon," that is, in certain phases of the moon. The value of this practice lay, not in the fact as supposed by many that the moon exercised any influence on the crop, but in the having of a definite time and plan for the doing of various things on the farm.

If the harvesting of seed corn, rike the feeding of stock, came every day, it would be attended to on time, but it is nothing more nor less than human that the work which comes only occasionally or once a year, as in the case of the harvesting of seed corn should be put off or neglected altogether, unless there is a definite time and plan for the work.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COM-MISSION

Owosso, September 16th, 1915. Special meeting of the Commission, Mayor DeYoung presiding. Members present, DeYoung, Hanscom, Rose

The following call was read:

September 15th, 1915.

There will be a special meeting of the Commission of the City of Owosso September 16, 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenon to receive a petition for the closing of certain streets in the City of Owosso, and to take such action thereon as may be deemed proper and to transact any business that might properly be presented at a regular session of the Commission.

By order of the Mayor.

ARTHUR H. DUMOND, City Clerk.

The following petition was presented: Petition No. 723

To the Commission of the City of Owesso,
Gentlemen:
We, the undersigned citizens and tax payers
of the City of Owesso, hereby petition your
honorable body to take the necessary steps for
vacating and abolishing certain portions of
Michigan avenue, Howard, Green and South
Bail streets in the City of Owesso, as follows:
Michigan avenue, from Michigan avenue from a point where the south line of the right of way of the Ann Arbor Rallway Company intersects the curb line of the east side of said Michigan avenue, thence south to the right of way of the Grand Trunk Rallway Company, thence east thirty-one feet nine inches (31-9) to the property of the American Malleables Company, thence north to said right of way of Ann Arbor Rallway Company, thence west to commencement.

South Ball street from a point where the south line of the right of way of the Ann Arbor Railway Company intersects with the west line of South Hall street, thence south to Howard street, thence east forty-six (46) feet, thence north to Ann Arbor Railway right of way, thence west to commencement.

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Howard street from Michigan avenue east to South Ball street and that further portion of Howard street described as commencing at a point where the west line of South Ball street extended from the nw corner of South Ball street extended from the nw corner of South Ball and Howard streets, south fifty-one (51) feet would intersect with the south line of Howard street, thence east to a point one hundred (100) feet west of the west line of Washington street, thence Borth twenty five (25) feet, thence west to a point for y-six (46) feet east of the west line of South Ball street extended, thence morth twenty-six (26) feet, thence west forty-six (46) feet, thence west forty-six (46) feet, thence west forty-six (46) feet, thence south to commencement.

We ask that these streets and portions We ask that these streets and portions thereof be vacated only on condition that the American Malleables Company enlarge its plant in accordance with plans and specifications for such enlargement now on file with the Owesse City Commission.

We believe that the vacation of said streets and portions thereof will result in advant-age not only to adjacent property but to the citizens of the city in general.

American Malleables Co. J. B. Cary, Supt. Owosso Improvement Ass'n. By Heman B. Sturteyau. By W. A. Seegmiller, Secy. Parker Monument Co. Per L. H. Parker, Per H. G. Parker, Ida M. Parker, J. H. Laverock, Eva B. Laverock, William Foster.

The following resolution was presented and on motion of Mr. Rosevear same was adopted, ayes DeYoung Hanscom, Rosevear:

Resolution No. 877. Resolved by the commission of the city of two says that it it hereby deemed advisable tracate, discontinue and abolish the following marts and portions of Howard street in says its of Commencing at a not parts and portions of Howard street in said city of Owosso, to wit: Commencing at a point where the west line of South Ball street extended south fifty-one (5)) feet from the northwest corner of South Ball and Howard streets; thence east to a point one hundred (10) feet west of the west line of Washington street; thence north twenty-flye (25) feet, thence west to a point forty-six (46) feet east of the west line of south Ball street, if extended, thence north twenty-six (26) feet; thence west forty-six (46) feet; thence south to place of beginning.

Be it further resolved that this commission

Be it further resolved that this commission appoint Monday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1916. at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time when this commission will meet at the office of the city clerk of said city and hear blections to the vacating, discontinuing and abolishing of said streets and parts of streets.

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The following resolution was presented and on motion of Mr. Rosevear same was adopted ayes DeYoung, Hanscom, Rosevear: Resolution No. 878.

Resolution No. 878.

Resolved by the commission of the city of Owosso that it is hereby deemed advisable to vacate, discont nue and abolish the following parts and portions of Michigan avenue, in said City of Owosso, to wit: Commencing at a point where the south line of the right of way of the Ann Arbor Railway Co. intersects the curb line of the east side of said Michigan avenue, thence south to the right of way of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, thence east thirty one feet nine inches (if ft., 9 in.) to the property line of the American Mailcables Company, thence north to said right of way of the Ann Arbor Railway Company, thence west to place of beginning.

Be it further resolved that this commission appoint Monday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1915, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time when this commission will meet at the office of the city clerk of said city and hear objections to the vacating, discontinuing and abolishing of said streets and parts of streets.

The city clerk is hereby directed to give notice according to the terms of said charter of such meeting which said notice shall contain a copy of this resolution and shall be published for not less than two weeks before the time appointed for such meeting, in one of the newspapers of the City of Owosso.

The following resolution was presented and on motion of Mr. DeYoung same was adopted, ayes DeYoung, Hansoom, Rosevear; Resolution No. 879.

Resolved by the commission of the City of Owosso that it is hereby deemed advisable to vacate. discontinue and abolish the following parts and portions of Green street in said City of Owosso, to-wir: All that portion of Green street from the right of way of the Ann Arbor Railway Company extending south to Howard street.

Be it further resolved that this commission appoint Monday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1915, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time when this commission will meet at the office of the city clerk of said city and hear objections to the vacating, discontinuing and abolishing of said streets and parts of streets.

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abolishing of said streets and parts of streets.

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The following resolution was presented and on motion of Mr. Hansoom same was adopted. For Sale! Resolution No. 880.

Resolved by the commission of the city of Owosso that it is hereby deemed advisable to vacate. discontinue and abolish the following parts and portions of South Ball street in the City of Owosso, to wit: Commencing at a point where the south line of the right of way of the Ann Arbor Railway Company intersects the west line of said South Ball street, thence south to north line of Howard street; thence east forty six [46] feet, thence north to said Ann Arbor Railway Company's right of way; thence west to place of beginning.

Be it further resolved that this commission

Be it further resolved that this commission appoint Monday, the 4th day of October, A. D. 1915. at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time when this commission will meet at the office of the city clerk of said city and hear objections to the vacating, discontinuing and abolishing of said streets and parts of streets. The city clerk is hereby directed to give notice according to the terms of said charter of such meeting which said notice shall contain a copy of this resolution and shall be published for not less than two weeks before the time appointed for such meeting, in one of the newspapers of the City of Owosso.

The following resolution was presented and on motion of Mr. Hanscom same was adopted, ayes De Young, Hanscom. Rosevear: Resolution No. 881

Be it further resolved that this Commission appoint Monday the 4th day of October A. D. 1915 at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time when this Commission will meet at the pface of the city clerk of said city and hear objections to the vacating, discontinuing and abolishing of said streets and parts of streets.

The City Clerk is hereby directed to give notice according to the terms of said charter of such meeting which said notice shall contain a copy of this resolution and shall be published for not less than two weeks before the time appointed for such meeting in one of the newspapers of the City of Owosso.

On motion of Mr. Hanscom the Commission adjourned, ayes De Young, Hanscom, Rosevear.

JAS. DEYOUNG.

ARTHUR H. DUMOND.

OWOSSO MARKETS. Owosso, Mich., Sept. 17, 1915.

Quoted by Fred Welch. Wheat, white Wheat, red..... Rye.... Barley..... Choice hand picked beans Cloverseed, Alsyke..... \$8.00 to8 .00 Clover seed, June...... \$8.00 to 8.00 Cloverseed, Mammoth.. \$8.00 to \$8.00 Hay \$10 to \$11.00 DRESSED MEATS Quoted by Bowers & Metzger. Beef, dressed..... 9 to 11 Calves, dressed..... Pork, dressed..... 9 to 10

Tallow..... LIVE POULTRY Quoted by Rundell Bros. Hens, fat..... 11 to 12 Broilers, 12 to 3 lb 12 to 13 Packing Stock Butter..... 17 Eggs..... 21 HIDES

Beef hides. green..... Horse hides, each..... \$3.06 PRODUCE, VEGETABLES, PRUITS. Butter Eggs..... Potatoes, Apples

Sword of Damocles.

Onions.....

According to a classic legend, Damo les, who lived about 400 years before Christ, was a courtier and flatterer of a tyrannical ruler named Dionysius, whom he declared the happiest man on earth. To convince him of his mistake and prove that even the office of king had its drawbacks Dionysius invited Damocles to take his place and do his job for awhile. So Damocles donned royal robes and was seated at a banquet enjoying himself when he suddenly perceived hanging over his head a sword suspended by a single horse hair, which was liable to break at any moment. This so terrified him that he immediately resigned his temporary kingship. Whether the story is true or not, it has served for a long time to point a moral, Thackeray says in "Vanity Fair," "Let us who have not and is served on gold plates, has an awful sword hanging over his head, in the shape of a bailiff or hereditary disease or family secret."

THE EUROPEAN WAR IN BIBLE PROPHECY.

Undreamed of passions have burst forth devouring the lands that patient hands have beautified and made fertile, and cen-turies have stocked with art treasures. To the entire world the war has come as a complete surprise because they have not read our book (680 pages—cloth) telling that just such conditions would exist, only to be followed by the still greater devas-tation of anarchy. The first edition came

tation of anarchy. The first edition came from the press in 1897.

Of vaster interest and importance is its promise of better things in store for this earth, when the wrath of nations has run its course. Send thirty-four cents in stamps (with this coupon) to cover post-age, to The Temple, No. 26 W. 63rd St., New York City, and receive a copy promptly.

Hospital Money Roverts to Doners. Columbus, Ind., Sept. 15 .- The \$4,-400 obtained from the sale of the Mercey hospital has been distributed among 165 local persons, who donated \$7,000 several years ago with which the hospital was bought and turned over to the Sisters of Mercy on condition that it revert to the donors when it ceased to be operated as a hospital. The donors received 14 cents on the dollar.

FARMS

I have a number farms for sale in Shiawassee and Genesee counties. Prices from \$75.00 to \$125.00 per acre. All improved with buildings, etc. Write or phone

Lennon, Mich.

5 Women Avoid Operations

For years we have been stating in the newspapers of the country that a great many women have escaped serious operations by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it is true.

We are permitted to publish in this announcement extracts from the letters of five women. All have been recently received unsolicited. Could any evidence be more convincing?

Hongbon, Me.-"I had pains in both sides and such a soreness 1. I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached and I was so nervous I could not sleep, and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation, but I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Hodgdon, Me.

SHELBYVILLE, KY.—"I suffered from a severe female trouble. My right side hurt me badly—it was finally decided that I must be operated upon. When my husband learned this he got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me, and afte taking it a few days I got better and continued to improve until I am now well."—Mrs. Mollie Smith, R.F.D., Shelbyville, Ky.

3. Hanover, Pa.—"The doctor advised a severe operation, but my husband got me Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I experienced great relief in a short time. Now I feel like a new person and can do a hard day's work and not mind it."—Mrs. Ada Wilt, Hanover, Pa.—"The doctor advised a severe operation, but my 303 Walnut St., Hanover, Pa.

DECATUR, ILL.-"I was sick in bed and three of the best physi-4. DECATUR, I.L.—"I was sick in bed and three of the best page.
cians said I would have to be taken to the hospital for an operation as I had something growing in my left side. I refused to submit to the operation and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Commit to the worked a miracle in my case, and I tell other women pound—and it worked a miracle in my case, and I tell other women what it has done for me."—Mrs. Laura A. Griswold, 2437 East William Street, Decatur, Ill.

CLEVELAND, OHIO. - "I was very irregular and for several years 5. CLEVELAND, OHIO. — I was very integrated to have to undergo an opmy side pained me so that I expected to have to undergo an operation. Doctors said they knew of nothing that would help me. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-

table Compound and I became regular and free from pain. I am thankful for such a good medicine and will always give it the highest praise."— Mrs. C. H. GRIFFITH, 1568 Constant St., Cleveland, O. Write to LYDIA E.PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



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Live Stock and Dairy Show, Poultry Show, Dog Show, Agriculture and Horticulture, Farm Machinery and Implements.

West Mich. State Fair, Grand Rapids, Sept. 20 to 24

THE WATER AND THE PARTY OF THE DON'T WAIT TOO LONG TO HAVE YOUR EYES TESTED, PERHAPS

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and if you really do need them the sooner you get your eyes properly fitted the sooner you will have eye ease and comfort. Cheap Glasses are cheap at any

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